



Attorney Docket No.: 1003-DIV-01

In re Application of Denis Barritault et al.

Serial No.: 10/695,574

Filed: October 28, 2003

For: BIOCOMPATIBLE POLYMERS, PROCESS FOR THEIR PREPARATION AND COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING THEM

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

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- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §1.9 and §1.27 is enclosed.
- No additional fee is required.

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X 100 =	\$
	\$
+180=	\$

OR

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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.